

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of fragments of flies, rodent hair fragments, insect fragments, an insect, an ant, larvae, larva heads, larva head capsules, a weevil head, and mites; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 26, 1946. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, a fine of \$200 was imposed.

9809. Adulteration of bread. U. S. v. Citizens Baking Co., Inc. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$500. (F. D. C. No. 20133. Sample No. 10741-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: June 10, 1946, Western District of New York, against the Citizens Baking Co., Inc., Jamestown, N. Y.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 11, 1946, from the State of New York into the State of Pennsylvania.

LABEL, IN PART: "Butter Top Enriched Bread."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects, insect fragments, and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: June 17, 1946. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, a fine of \$500 was imposed.

9810. Adulteration and misbranding of cheese crackers. U. S. v. 36 Cartons and 14 Cartons of Cheese Crackers. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to a charitable institution. (F. D. C. No. 20317. Sample Nos. 57150-H, 57151-H.)

LABEL FILED: July 3, 1946, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of April 11 and May 17, 1946, by Frank Burns, Inc., from Philadelphia, Pa.

PRODUCT: 50 cartons, each containing 24 packages, of cheese crackers at Wollaston, Mass. Analysis showed that the product contained an insignificant amount of cheese.

LABEL, IN PART: "Frank Burns Cheese Squares [or "Toasted Cheese"]."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, cheese, had been in part omitted; and, Section 402 (b) (4), artificial coloring had been added to the product so as to make it appear better and of greater value than it was.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statements, "Cheese Squares" and "Toasted Cheese," were false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: August 27, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution.

CORN MEAL

9811. Adulteration of corn meal. U. S. v. Paul L. Fetherston (The Paoli Mill). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$300. (F. D. C. No. 20463. Sample Nos. 18120-H to 18123-H, incl.)

INFORMATION FILED: July 29, 1946, Western District of Wisconsin, against Paul L. Fetherston, trading as the Paoli Mill, at Paoli, Wis.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 19 and 27 and May 7, 1946, from the State of Wisconsin into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "Special White [or "Yellow"] Corn Meal," or "Special Yellow Corn Flour."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments, mites, insects, Mediterranean moth scales, rodent hair fragments, rodent excreta fragments, fragments resembling rodent excreta, and cat hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: August 16, 1946. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the defendant was fined \$300.